Provision made under RGGVY for Uttaranchal

3149. SHRI HARISH RAWAT: Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) the amount earmarked under Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana for the State of Uttaranchal;

(b) the amount sanctioned/likely to be sanctioned to the State during last three years, year-wise;

(c) whether Government have identified those districts of this hilly State where the rural electrification is quite low in comparison to national average;

(d) if so, district-wise details thereof and the number of villages targeted to be electrified under this Yojana; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefore?

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING AND MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI PRIYARANJAN DASMUNSI): (a) Rajiv Gandhi Grameen Vidyutikaran Yojana (RGGVY) has been introduced in April, 2005 for providing access to electricity to all rural households in the country by the year 2009. The Government of India has approved capital subsidy of Rs. 5000 crores for implementation of phase-I of RGGVY during 10th Plan period. Uttaranchal is getting funds on pro-rate basis.

(b) Amount sanctioned to Uttaranchal during the last three years under various schemes for rural electrification is as under:

Year	Amount (Rs. in cr.)
2004-05	6.60
2003-04	30.00
2002-03	97.28

Under RGGVY based on the project received from Uttaranchal Government, four district based projects with out-lay of Rs. 220.59 crore have been sanctioned so far.

(c) to (e) The State Government of Uttaranchal/Uttaranchal Power Corporation Ltd. (UPCL) have formulated Detailed Project Reports

(DPRs) for all the thirteen district of the State for providing access to electricity to 354104 rural households which includes 272247 Below Poverty Line households and electrification of 1122 un-electrified villages. The district-wise details are given in the enclosed Statement.

Statement

*District-wise status of Rural Electrification of Uttaranchal State**

Sl. No.	Name of District	No. of un-electrified villages including de-electrified villages	No. of electrified villages	Total No. of villages	No. of Rural Households to be electrified (Including BPL HH) under the project	No. of BPL HHs to be electrified under the project	Total Cost of Project
							(Rs. Lakh)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
(A) Projects sanctioned under RGGVY							
1	Tehri Garwal	248	1538	1786	37112	23964	11158.33
2	Chamoli	102	1051	1153	18487	15183	4390.66
3	Rudra Prayag	48	610	658	13354	10161	3524.05
4	Bageshwar	39	827	866	19522	16371	2986.34
	Sub Total (A)	**437**	**4026**	**4463**	**88475**	**65679**	**22059.38**
(B) Project under appraisal under RGGVY							
5	Nanital	32	1033	1065	28119	22427	3743.54
6	Pauri Garhwal	13	973	986	36375	23670	8522.08
7	Uttarkashi	173	492	665	14687	11140	2832.28
8	Udham Singh Nagar	6	652	658	37300	33353	2360.50
9	Almora	200	1948	2148	46336	36551	8532.85
10	Pithorgarh	126	1439	1565	38248	29182	6597.31
11	Champawat	91	560	651	12612	7473	3384.68
12	Hardwar	4	501	505	23314	21508	2039.76
13	Dehradun	40	677	717	28638	21264	4204.96
	Sub Total(B)	**685**	**8275**	**8960**	**265629**	**206568**	**42217.96**
	Grand Total (A+B)	**1122**	**12301**	**13423**	**354104**	**272247**	**64277.34**

***Source: DPRs received from Uttaranchal Government/UPCL.**